

1. **Begin by logging in-** I assume you have already done this, but if you have logged in using a friend's login please use your own. I need to make sure that everyone's works properly before school lets out of the summer.
2. **DIRECTIONS FOR LOGGING IN:** On the top **LEFT** hand side of the screen, click on "[Join this Wiki](#)", Enter a username and password. On the next screen make sure you identify yourself by 1st and last name. Once your request has been submitted I will accept and you will have access to the wiki posts. Sorry for any confusion!!! :)
3. Answer the FIRST discussion post. This is simply to get everyone acquainted with the system and set up on this wiki. I'll add new discussion posts as we proceed through the summer.
4. Go to [QuizStar](#) and create and Student Login. Search for our class: **APUSH 2011-2012**
5. Go to [Quizlet- Mrs. Carter's APUSH class](#) you will need to create a Student Login there also. Join the group by searching [wmhs apush class](#). You will see that there are 0 sets, but there is 1 Group. Click to find the 1 Group. Here is where you will find our group. Select it. It should give you the option to enter a special password to access the group. The password I have set is: [wmhsapush](#) I have already started adding flashcard sets for chapter 1 of our textbook. We will use this site to keep all vocabulary flashcards throughout the year. For those of you with iPhones, iPads and Android phones they are downloadable for study on the go!
6. Get a copy of [The Devil in the White City](#). I have included a link to find them it online, but you can certainly find it at numerous other retailers, including used book sources. **GOOD NEWS-** you do NOT have to purchase the Howard Zinn book. Now that our class numbers have dropped I have enough books for the class. I will be calling students down sometime during the last few days of school to pickup the text book and the Zinn book.
7. We will be reading [The Devil in the White City](#) by Erik Larson first for those that would like to acquire them one at a time. I will be posting discussion questions for this novel. There will be a paper/ project due at the conclusion of the novel. I do expect that you will look up words and references that you are unfamiliar with or do not understand. I recommend keeping a small journal or notebook of notes about what you are reading. This will help you to further understand the novel and it will help you when it comes time to write the paper.
8. At the end of the summer, you will be reading from the textbook and the Howard Zinn book. At that point you will begin the process of note-taking, vocabulary, review questions and discussion board topics based upon text. The work will become a bit more intensive. You will be tested on this material during the first week of school.
9. I highly recommend that you become familiar with the various links and resources available on this wiki during the summer.